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Examiner: G. Kishore
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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants : Patrick L. AHL et al.)
Appln. No. : 09/398,934)
Filed : September 1, 1999)
For : REDUCTION OF LIPOSOME-)
INDUCED ADVERSE)
PHYSIOLOGICAL REATIONS)
Atty. Dkt. : 31839-150675)

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AMENDMENT

November 2, 2000

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 18, 23, 25, 29, 33, 36-38, 41 and 43 as follows:

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18. (Amended) A method of treating an animal with a bioactive agent comprising administering to said animal [an anti-inflammatory agent and] a liposome composition, wherein said liposome composition induces an adverse physiological reaction in said animal in the absence of an anti-inflammatory agent; and administering to said animal an anti-inflammatory agent wherein [reducing] said adverse physiological reaction is reduced.

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23. (Amended) A method of treating an animal with a bioactive agent comprising administering to said animal a composition comprising a liposome and an anti-inflammatory agent, wherein said liposome composition induces an adverse physiological reaction in said animal in the

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